

Abstract

Title: The impact of the Lottery and Similar Games Act amendment on Sedlčany city and its sports organizations.

Objectives: The main objective of this bachelor thesis is to find out which changes in the financing of sport in the city Sedlčany were caused by the amendment of the lottery act from 2012. Further objective is to describe the impact of the amendment on the economy of the city Sedlčany.

Methods: The following methods were used when writing this thesis: case study, the analysis of the relevant documents and texts, interview with the member of the city council.

Results: The analysis of the situation of the city Sedlčany after the change of the Lottery Act showed that the budget of the city has bigger income from lotteries because of the amendment of the Lottery Act. Based on this amendment the city could put into practice the city notice, which bans some of the betting games, lotteries and similar games. During the analysis of the financing of sport in the city Sedlčany it was found that sport in the city does not rely on the income of the city budget from the lotteries. The amount of money, which is supposed to be used for sports financing is based on the decisions made by the city council without consideration of the amount coming from the lotteries.

Keywords: Levy on lotteries, lottery companies, state support of sport, subsidies, financing from lotteries.